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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings must be made on paper that has a white background (see 37 CFR 1.84 (e)). For example, drawings on graph paper, lined paper, or paper that has a non-white background are not acceptable. See Figure(s) 11,12.

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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed June 30, 2004, Applicant submits the following: (1) Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney; (2) \$65.00 fee; (3) Replacement Drawings, and (4) Formalities Letter Part II, Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$65 late oath or declaration Surcharge to our <u>Deposit Account No. 09-0528</u>.

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Response to Missing Parts Notice Declaration Filing Fees - \$65.00 - Charge to Deposit Account No. 09-0528 Formal Drawings – Figs. 1-13 Formalities Letter Part II

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